

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANTS: Corvino, et al. EXAMINER: Alan V. Nguyen  
SERIAL NO.: 09/776,322 GROUP: 2662 CONF. NO.: 9329  
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TITLE: COUPLING OF SPLITTER WITH SUBSET OF PLURALITY OF LINES  
ON ONE-TO-ONE BASIS

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents  
Mail Stop Amendment  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450  
Dear Sir:

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Please find enclosed the following documents pertaining to the above referenced application:

26-page Response to Office Action  
Replacement Drawing Sheets 2-3

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims as Amended	Minus Previously Paid For Claims	Difference x Rate	Fee
Total Claims	25	- 20	5 x \$18.00	\$ 90.00
Independent Claims	2	- 3	0 x \$86.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims	0	- 0	0 x \$290.00	\$ 0.00
			<b>TOTAL FEE</b>	<b>\$90.00</b>

Please charge the above fee of **\$90.00** to Patti & Brill, LLC **Deposit Account No. 50-1941**. In the event of under or overpayment of a fee at anytime during the prosecution of the subject application, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge or credit the Patti & Brill, LLC **Deposit Account No. 50-1941** the amount necessary to correct the error. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on September 16, 2004.

Robert J. Brill

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